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The references 1) and 2) have been discussed in the instant application in the last paragraph of page 2. The references 3) to 7) have been discussed in the instant application in paragraph 4 of page 1. Reference 8) has been cited in the International Search Report of the counterpart international patent application of which the instant application is a national stage filing.

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this application is respectfully requested.

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